

# **HOUSE . . . . .      No. 1328**

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By Mr. Bradley of Hingham, petition of Garrett J. Bradley and Erik Belz relative to notification by mail of proceedings in small claims procedures. The Judiciary.

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## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

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### **AN ACT RELATIVE TO SMALL CLAIMS PROCEDURES.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1     Section 21 of Chapter 218, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edi-  
2     tion, is hereby amended in line 3 by striking the words “two thou-  
3     sand dollars”, and inserting in place thereof:— “five thousand  
4     dollars”.

5     Section 22 of Chapter 218, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edi-  
6     tion, is hereby amended in line 3 by striking the words “first class  
7     mail”, and inserting in place thereof: — “registered mail with a  
8     return receipt”.